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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Daniel B. McKenna; James M. Graziano

For (title): COMMUNIQUE SYSTEM WITH ACTIVE FEEDBACK FOR CELLULAR
COMMUNICATION NETWORKS

1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for a continuation-in-part (C-I-P) application.

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2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

40 Page(s) of Specification

10 Page(s) of Claims

12 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

3. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Executed by:

* inventors.

4. Language

English

5. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Vesuvius, Inc. is attached. A separate "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" is also attached.

6. **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	43	- 20 =	23 x	\$18.00	\$414.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					\$1,124.00

7. **Small Entity Statement**

Vesuvius, Inc. is a small entity -- small business concern.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$562.00

8. **Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Enclosed

Filing Fee \$562.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION".) \$40.00

Total Fees Enclosed \$602.00

9. Method of Payment of Fees

Check in the amount of \$602.00 is attached.

10. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 04-1697.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), © or (d) (presentation of extra claims)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to SECTION 1.136(a))

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

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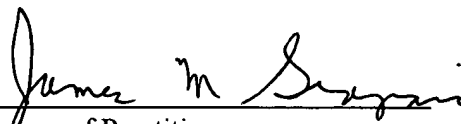
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12. Relate Back

This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/638,744, titled "Communique System for Cellular Communication Networks", filed on 14 August 2000.

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